

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application : **10/517,922**  
Applicant(s) : **KALKER et al.**  
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Examiner : **BEKELE, Mekonen T.**  
Atty. Docket : **NL020572US**  
Title: **LOSSLESS DATA EMBEDDING**

**AMENDMENT and/or RESPONSE under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office action of 21 December 2007, please amend the above referenced application as follows and/or reconsider the application in light of the following remarks.

**This paper includes** (each beginning on a separate sheet):

- 1. Amendments to and/or listing of the claims; and**
- 2. Remarks / Discussion of issues.**